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As order is Heaven's first law in the regulation of the universe, so should it be the first law of conduct in the regulation of the household. Indeed, without strict order and regularity, the housewife will soon find herself in the midst of confusion and discomfort that will entirely savell into the nositive un-

housewife will soon find herself in the midst of confusion and discomfort that will quickly swell into the positive unhappiness of herself and those about her.

But the tact to mannge a household in an orderly manner doesn't always come with the knowledge of its necessity, nor even with the desire on the part of its mistress to so manage it. She must understand thoroughly how to control her servants. These are called "helps," but she will sometimes find that the more of them she is blessed with the less help, she will have and the more imperative need of her attention to all the details of her housekeeping. Servants, as a rule, look no further than their wages, or, their "followers," and the housekeeper that can truly say she can manage her "help" may be called without any qualilication, a good housewife.

The management of servants being, then, as this would intimate, the management of the house itself, it may be concernedly asked how are they to be treated or in what their management consists. A few hints will be all-sufficient to answer this.

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First, in engaging them try to discover whether they are competent to fulfill the particular duties to be required of them. There will be no difficulty in this if they are really competent. Then agree to pay them what their competency is worth. If you offer them less than this they will either refuse it (for

tency is worth. If you offer them less than this they will either refuse it (for they are apt to know their worth) or, if they are dishonest, accept it with the calculation of making up the deficiency in some other way.

Second. Do not forget that they are human beings. Birth and circumstance, in denying them education, have not deprived them altogether of feeling. The same susceptibility of gratitude for a kind act, and the same disposition to resent an unkind one, exist alike in the breast of act, and the same disposition to resent an unkind one, exist alike in the breast of the poor and the rich, the learned and the unlearned. A kind word that costs so little has made many a devoted servant and rooted an affection that no after-misfortune to the author of it could change or eradicate. Therefore, while cou may be firm, be considerate in your

you may be firm, be considerate in your firmness, and even courteous.

It was once our fortune to know and claim the friendship of a man, whose respect for the feelings of others, no matter what their station might be, was rather remarkable. He had in his employ many poor girls, and when he met or passed them he would lift his hat to the wearer of the shabby cotton shawl with the same kind of recognition as if its owner were a millionaire's daughter, with the same kind of recognition as if its owner were a millionaire's daughter, enwrapped in one of India's thousand dollar dainties. He was a gentleman by instinct, and, we believe, neither policy nor profit had anything to do with suggesting his conduct in his intercourse with others. The instance is a rare one, and we mention it because of its rarity. and we mention it because of its rarity. The world could stand a few more such without any injury to its civiliza

tion.

So we would advise courtesy, even in the management of servants. It cannot lower you in the estimation of any but the silly, and it may breed love, as it certainly will respect, in the breasts of those under your control and render that courted an easy and pleasant task.

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diphtheria manifestly due to foul sur-roundings, "I should think common-sense would teach mon the danger of such things." But common-sense, after all, is

doubtless, only right ideas so commonly accepted as to be general, acted on without conscious thought. This, however, comes of prior in-

Think of the common-sense of India in hygiene, where the very filth is allowed to embody fitself in a pestilence which with every decade sweeps round the globe.
Think of the common-sense of our

British ancestors, when rotten straw within the house, and narrow, dark and damp streets with open gutters perpetually flowing, made the Piague a fixed inhabitant for over seventy years, that at length some recent years, that at length, some more than two centuries ago, became famous in history as the Great Plague by its desolating fury. Think of the common-sense even of

our own fathers, who filled the land with eesspools, with not a thought of the wells into which their contents leached; and their cellars with all sorts of decaying vegetable; and who looked on all contagious epidemies simply as visitations from God for sin, without visitations from God for sin, without once suspecting that it was for the sin of transgressing that divine law which demands purity of water and air, as well as of heart.

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ations .- Youths' Companion.

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FITZ-JOHN PORTER.

The Troubles of the Much Leg-Islated General Not Yet At an End.

Committee of Conference Appointed to Adjust Differences Between the Two Houses.

The One Million Dollar Appropriation for the New Orleans Cotton

American Medical Association. Weshington, D. C., May 9.-The third day's nession of the American Medical Association was attended by 1,210 delegates, which represents the total attend-Dr George M. Sterberg, U. S. 1, affered a resolution stating that the exact knowledge necessary for the presention of a majority of the infections and postilential mala-dies has not yet been obtained, and, that

t ongress be politioned to make sultable appropriations for the prosecution of inquiries regarding such diseases.

The following officers were elected:
Provident, H. F. Campbell, Georgia; first Vice-President, J. S. Lynch, Maryland, Seemel Vice-President, S. D. Mercer, No. Third Vice President, J. 11. Par hracks Third Vice-President, J. H. Par-sons, Sew Hampshire: Fourth Vice-Presi-

Of Interest to Distillers. Washisotos, D. C., May 8.--Com-missioner Lyans, of the Internal Revone Bureau, has decided to abrogate the Basessment plan of collecting over the taxes on distilled spirits after August lat, and has directed internal rev min collectors to proceed these taxes after that date by distrain or sult on warehouse bond, using both

The Swalm Investigation. Washisuros, D. C., May 8 .- Thothird day's session of the Swalm Court of Inonly was held to-day, the cross-examinaunder ted by Representative Calkins con

Distinguished Remains Cremated. Washington, PA., May 8,-The reerrors of Dr. Orosse, the embacut surin the Lemoyne crem tropy at moun tooday, and are usions the process of incineration.

FORTY-DIGHTH CONGRESS.

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W. CHISGIOS, D. C., May 8 -The Chairman label before the Senate a House messogenumouncing its non-concurrence in the Source amendments to the pleuropneumonia bill. The Senate insisted on its amendments, and the Chair appointed 44 a commistee of conference on the part of the Senate, Mosses, Miller of New ork, Plumb and Williams.

The Chair also laid before the Senate respine task here. The boom for a House message announcing its bound of house message announcing its bound of house message announcing its ments to the Filz-John Porter bill. Sounte Inspited on Itaments, and the Chair appointed as a committee of conference, on the part d the Senate, Mesura, Sewell, Logan and Cockrell

> witing on the committee. He said it was well known that he was opposed to any proposition for the relief of the person named in the bill, and therefore did not t tak himself a proper person to be or The Provident of the Senate said it was

the instem to place on such committees some member who voted with the minorits on the passage of the bill forming the subject of the conference. Mr. Logan and he could not and would not serve. He was necordingly excused and Mr Hawber appointed in his stead.

On motion of Mr. Dorshmeier (of N of the Senate joint resolution for the eletration of the completion of the W 14hlugton Monument was taken up and passed. It provides for the ceremonles of the diention, a procession from the monnment to the Capitol, an ovation Feb. 22, 1445, in the Hall of the House of Repre-sentatives by Honorable Robert C. Winthrop, salutes of 100 guns from the Navy Yard and artillery in quarters, and appro-

coming hour for reports.

My Thickner, from the Committee on Bushing and Currency, reported a bill to couble the Sational banking associations to increase the capital stock and hange their location and name. Placed

Commerce, reported a bill authorizing the appointment of a Missouri River

Mr Dargan, from the Committee on Patents, reported a bill providing for the textsion, improvement and amendment of the laws relating to patents. Referred o the committee of the whole.
Then arose the contest between the va-

bandings, Mr. Singleton orging the Con-gressional Library bill, Mr. Ellis desiring the discussion of the New Orleans Industrial Exposition bill, Mr. Randall expressing the anxiety of the Appropriation Committee for the disposal of the appropriation bills, and Mr. Payson demanding the consideration of unfinished business, being the Oregon Central forfelture bill. Mr. Pay-Mr Holman moved to go into committee of the whole on the appropriation bills. This was lost, sixty-eight to ninety-eight. Mr. Holman, in the interest of public busitandall declared that a roll call tures, and the yeas and nays were not

The House declined to consider the li-brary in the public buildings bill, and then went into committee of the whole, with Mr. Dorshelmer in the chair, on the

On motion of Mr. Ellis all prior bills were set aside and the committee prospected to the consideration of the bill

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appropriation of the World's Industrial and Cotton Centenulal Exposition at New Orleans. Mr. Ellis briefly explained he provisions of the bill and pointed out the safe-guards which had been established for the return of the appropriation o the United States out of the recoipts proadly National and International in its character than even the Exposition of 1876 at Philadelphia. Already every one of the States is taking steps to have a part, in the exhibition, and twenty foreign narepresented.

DANGER NOTES.

The Parisian Press on the Election

ments on the result of yesterday's election in France are significant: The Republique Française says: "One good thing about the elections is that Paris has shaken off the political indifference which it has been sometimes

charged, but the Parisians should learn the municipal elections should be guided not by political, but by purely administrative considerations. The Journal des Debats says: "The Paris elections are by no means sassfac

tionists and the Monarchists." The Paris says: "Above all things it is of vital necessity that the French people, and especially the Parisians, should understand that Revolutionary votes only

order and plosperity." The Pags says bitterly: "The Government lacks backbone and initiative. M. Ferry has drained to the dregs the cup of

archy mounts to the surface, and with its protecting folds offers to society the sole means of reparation and safety. Broglie, says: "Whatever may be the outcome of this complex social movement, its logical conclusion will certainly not terminate in the maintenance of the

BASE BALL BREVITIES.

May 8.

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Lane Theological Seminary. Erven, of Cincinnati, Hamilton A. Hau-T. Edmund Lewis, ter, of Jackson, Oldo Pomeroy, Ohio; David Thomas, Dak Hall, Ohio, and John W. Wilson, Collinsville, Ill. Prof. H. P. Smith delivered the distribution of the distributi domus and Rev. Dr. Arthur Mitchell made the annual address.

DUED OF ASSIGNMENT.

The Firm of Grant & Ward Execute a Deed of Assignment

Ward made a general assignment today for the benefit of the creditors. General Grant, U. S. Grant, Jr., James D. Fish and Ferdinand Ward all signed the deed as general partners. Preference is given to the following: Eward James, J. H. Work, Win S Warward Short, E. M. Welmerding, Charles Britton, E. A. Tuttle, James Gardner and Frederick Grant. They are preferred in full by reason of holding or owning cer-tain instruments bearing the firm's name in the nature of guarantees of preference of certain contracts, the instruments also containing promises to pay money. Creditors who have made loans to or deposited money or securities with the firm, and who are not secured by collateral,

General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church. The Investigation of the books is still in progress, but will not be completed for several days. Woodward's most intimate friends are still of the opinion that his mind is deranged, and that the defalcation was not made with the knowledge of the serious consequences which

Customs Receipts for April. Sr Louis, Mo., May 8.—The receipts at this port for April amounted to \$191,-123,47, of which \$189,416,57 came from duties, and the rest from fees and hospital taxes. This is a remarkable showing against the corresponding month of 1883. when the receipts amounted to \$81,921 The increase is due to larger sugar and dry goods import trade, which have spring up within a year. St. Louis is 899,000 at a time.

Sv. Louis, Mo., May 8 .- The Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters met In the Masonic Hall this afternoon. Six of the eight subordinate lodges in the State were represented. Scottish Rite Masons have another meet Section rate masons have another meeting. To-morrow the Grand Chapter will be attended by 300 delegates. In the evening the degree of Annointed High Priest will be conferred.

Our blessings are not appreciated until we are deprived of them. Most notable among them is health, the lack of which magnities our other burdens. A hacking cough, a severe cold or any throat or lang disease is very troublesome; but all these may be quickly and permanently removed by Dr. Bigslow's Positive Cure.
Trial bottle free of Dr. A. J. Stoner, physical statements. cian and druggist, 14 south side new square, Decatur, III.

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Dress Goods—Conspicuous Bargains. 3,000 yards of the celebrated Jamestown Suitings in all colors and widths at 20c, 250 and 30c per yard, respectively. These goods are warranted not to shrink, and the colors are indelible; never before sold

ANOTHER WBECK.

The Steamer City of Portland Ground to Pieces on Grindstone Ledge.

The Accident is Attributed to a Shifting Buoy Between Sheep and Fisherman's Isle.

A Cool-Headed Crew and a Nervy Lo of Passengers Contribute to the Saving of All on Board.

Another Lost Steamship.

ROCKLAND, Mr., May 8 .- The steam ship City of Portland, Captain Lascon, of the International Line, from Boston for St. John, struck a ledge off Fisherman's Island channel at 3.25 this morndng and sunk. She will be a total loss. The passengers and crew were saved.

On the Rocks.

ROCKLAND, ME., May 9 .- The steamer City of Portland, plying between Port land and St. John, N. B., struck on the Grindstone ledge, Owl's Head, yesterday morning. The steamer left Portland Wednesday night with seventy passengers and a two-thirds cargo. The night was clear. As day was breaking the first pilot sighted a striped buoy on the port bow between Sheep and Fisherman's Islands. In a few minutes the steamer struck the ledge, slid on amidship and stuck fast. The pumps were started, the distress colors set and boats cleared. The officers and crew were cool and the pas-sengers behaved well. The captain sengers behaved well." landed in a boat and drove to Rockland,

six miles, for help.
The steamer Rockland promptly answeed, and reached the scene at 6:30. In the meantine a sloop from Owl's Head answered the signals, and two boat-loads of women and children were transferred to the sloop. The rest of the passengers, with the baggage, express freight, etc., were putaboard the Rockland and brought to this city. The passengers were well cared for here, and will be for-The Captain of the sloop at Fisherman

 Phe striped buoy was out of position and had the steamer passed within one width on the other side of the buoy she would have been all right." The City of Portland, formerly the New England, was rebuilt twelve years ago.

she is varied at \$125,000. The steamer is rapidly breaking up. The hull and cargo will be a total loss.

When the revenue cutter left the wreck of the City of Portland, at six o'clock last evening, the steamer bad broken in two and all the upper works were gone and the sea was increasing in violence. It will soon destroy what remains of the

to Mustridge. The passengers were mostly bound to East Portland and St.

The first pilot says of The only explanation I can give of the accident is that the buoy had drifted out of place. Had the steamer gone her width to southward she would have cleared all

The State of Florida. MONTREAL, May 9 -The steamer

Titama arrived at five p. m. yesterday. A large number of persons gathered at the wharf to witness the landing of the shipwrecked crow and passengers of the State of Flords. As soon as the Titania was moored to the wharf it was boarded by the Custom-house officers, the American Consul and representatives of the for them at the Albion Hotel.

The first person seen was James D. Remett, of London, Ont He said he was in the surgeon's cabin, and had a very narrow escape from being rushed to death when the Ponema came crushing into the State of Florida amidships with an awful crash. (In of the crew of the Ponema went from of the crew of the Ponema went from of the crew of the Ponema went One of the crew of the Ponema went mad from exposure and want of water, and died in the boat before the captain

dress and assumed command. the most heartrending cries and appeal for help were heard until the final plunge. Bennett saw one boat hanging by one davit. He heard it was not considered a sufe poat, and the ropes were cut to hinder any one using it.

CORN AND COTTON.

The Outlook in the South and South

MEMPHIS, TENN, May 9.-The cotton crop report for the Memphis District embracing West Tennessee, North Mississippi, North Ankansus and North Alabama, to be published to-day by Messrs Hill, Fontaine & Co., will say: "There will be a decreased acreage planted in cotton in this district of onenalf per cent, as compared with last year. The acreage in corn, however, shows an ucrease planted of 21-4 per cent. The weather has been most unfavorable for planting purposes, nearly all of our 298 correspondents reporting too much rain and cool weather. The average rain and cool weather. The average date for planting cotton in this district is from April 20 to 27, yet up to May 1 one-half of the land that is to be planted in cotton and not been so used, and se the weather has continued unfavorable to date. for planting the farming interest throughout the district is therefore fully three weeks late. With fair weather from now

The warm weather is at hand, and now you want pure crystal ice left at your doors to give you comfort and make you cool in the heat of summer. D. A. Maffit, who has two wagons that make regular rounds, is ready to supply the people every day in quantities to suit, at the lowest ruling rates. Mr. Mathit has a splendid supply of pure ice. Leave your orders with him. His telephone is 100. All orders filled promptly. m5-dtt

STINE'S. PLAY billiards at J. R. Haworth's cool

parlor, opposite opera block. Four excellent tables, new cues and new balls. Choice brands of cigars on sale. 30-d1w We are coming May 17th. Newest idea.

see them in operation. Bring the baby Liddle's. and try them at Parsonal-John Irwin would be pleas-

a good yield In the aggregate of 298 re sponses on the acreage, sixty-two repor an increased acreage planted in cotton as compared with last year, seventy-six re port a decrease in acreage, and 160 about the same; Average decrease about one half per cent. Of the weather 284 repor the weather less favorable than last year, fourteen report it about the same. twenty-two report a decrease in acreage, 164 about the same; average increase, two and one-fourth per cent.'

CROP PROSPECTS.

The Outlook in Minnesota and Dakota, MILWAUKEE, WIS., May 9 .- Official information has just been received by Mr. S. W. Tallmadge in regard to the spring wheat outlook in Minnesota and Dakota. The statistical agent of the latter State writes that while seeding was started earlier this year than usual, unfavorable weather has caused seeding to drag. Low temperature and frequent heavy rains have prevented work. With the present favorable weather, seeding will be soon completed. The early-sown grain is already up, and looks well, although a little light in color. The ground is moist, and a spell of warm weather will bring the plants forward nicely. The acreage is as yet uncomputable, though presents indications point to a decided increase throughout the Territory.

The State Statistical Agent of Minne

sota states that local agents report May 1 that seeding is very nearly finished in the State. The greater portion of the seed has been put in under favorable conditions. Considerable of the grain is already up and showing a fine growth. An increased and snowing a nie growth. An increased acreage of about 31-2 per cent, over last year is shown. The aggregate area for for the State as near as can be estimated is 2,670,000 acres, against 2,576,000 last 18 2,000,000 acres, against 2,370,000 fifst year. Cold, rainy weather has delayed spring work in a measure, but, taken altogether, the season is much more forward than of either 1583 or 1882. Tallmage's correspondent say in regard to oats, rye, flax and barley that the prospects are for a largely-increased acreage in these grains.

THE MEXICAN METHOD.

How the Greasers Draw Real or Pretended Deposits From Banks.

San Antonio, Tex., May 9 -Reports from Del Rio say that the excitement over Tuesday night's Mexican raid still rans high The Mexicans living in Del Rio are moving across the river and threats of retaliation by Americans are heard. A house belonging to Alvino Perez, the leader of the Mexican gang, was burned in Eagle Pass last night and no attempt made save it or questions asked as to how it caught fire.

A report came here from Laredo this afternoon that the Milmo Bank in New Laredo, Mexico, had been forcibly closed by a detachment of soldiers under the direction of the Mexican District Judge Rodriguez, for refusing to stamp their books in accordance with the stamp law recently called into existence in Mexico. Later reports confirmed the fact that the bank was closed by soldiery about twelv o'cock, but the cause is not confirmed nor tearned. Daniel Milmo, President of the bank, refusing to be interviewed. He does not seem to be alarmed or greatly

day Mexican Federal troops murched from the garrison and formed into line in front of Milmo Bros., bank in New Laredo. A peremptory demand was made for \$1,000 claimed due the Government, and upon refusal by Mr Dave Milmo, an American citizen and part owner of the bank, the Government officials entered the bank and took out I wenty sacks of silver of \$500 e a h and marched off. There intense excitement on both sides of

Homos for Children.

EDWARDSVILLE, ILL., May 9.-Mr E. Wright, agent for the New York Juvenile Asylum, and Miss Cronein, his assistant, arrived in town yesterday with a company of children (twenty-five boys and two girls) from the above-named place, in the purpose of disposing of them amongst good families, mostly farmers. People flocked to town from a radius of twenty miles, and the supply did not twenty into the demand. They are taken on trad for four weeks, at the end of which time indentures are executed, binding the boys until twenty-one and the girls until eighteen. The gentleman will re-turn again in about four weeks with

The Missouri Pan Telephone Company. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo , May 9,-The Missouri Pan Telephone Company of St. Louis filed articles of association with the Secretary of State yesterday; capital, \$100,000. The board of directors are Samuel Cupples, E. J., Adreon, Charles Hoyle, Joseph Hill, L. A. Moffett, Thos Thoroughman, E. C. Cable, Dr. R. Morgner, T. S. McPheeters, R. D. Lancaster, J. M. Carpenter, L. M. Chipley and John

Boyle.

J. W. Orr, Collector of Boone County is in the city He expressed the opinion that Marmaduke is the choice of his

occurred in this city last evening which will probably result in the death of a local tough. James McHugh, a hack driver, who has given the police authorities no little trouble for several years past, provoked a quarrel with John another hack driver, and got whipped McHugh drank hard yesterday and fol-lowed Croaker all day for another fight They met in the evening, a fight ensued and McHugh had his nose broken and his skull crushed. He is unconscious and it is thought he will die Croaker is a sing-ger from Peoria. He was arrested and

Illinois Militia Officers.

SPRINGPELLE, ILL., May 9.—Some sixty commissioned officers of the Illinois National Guard met in this city yesterday to organize an association to further the interests of the I. N. G. of this State. A constitution and by-laws were adopted and papers were received by Colonel J. M. Rice of Peoria, on rifle practice, and

A Physician's Pic Nic. Mr. Alfred Speer, who was the first to introduce the cultivation of the Oporto Orape in this country had a number of New York Physicians to inspect his Vine-yards and Warehouses at Passaic, N. J. About sixty doctors took the Erie train. The vineyards are over fifty acres in extent. Here the visitors found the small dark Portuguese and the native Concord grapa in abundance.

Among those present were Dr. E. H. Janes, of the N. Y. Board of Health, Dr. Alex B. Mott, of the Bellevue Hospital Medical College; Dr. William H. Haynes, of the Presbyterian Hospital, &c. The wines were pronounced as equal to any produced in the world.—N. Y. Tribune. For sale by W. C. Armstrong.

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50 cents will buy a good Jeans Pants at B. Sting's. dtf

on, however, planting will be pushed with vigor, and the backwardness of the sea son can not be taken as unfavorable for sea that the manner of 208 re.

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Burks White Pine Balsam. 50 cents.

"That Husband of Mine," writes a sea can not be taken as unfavorable for lady, "is three times the man he was before he began to take Burks' White Pine Balsam for his lungs. For sale by H. B.

Saturday. Its all right to go to trade at the large and popular shoe store of L. L. Ferries & Co, on Saturday. Their wholesale and retail force, numbering nine salesmen, all the labor 272 report the labor good, and in retail work on Saturday. Mr. Ferriss twenty-six not so good as last year. Of and Mr. Ruddock are there that day. twenty-six not so good as last year. Of the corn 112 report an increased acreage planted as compared with last year, much attention paid to customers on much attention paid to customers Saturday as any other day. m5d

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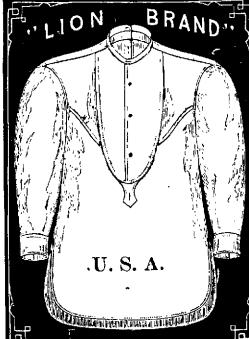
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plintes \$2,500 to be expended by the com-mittee of arrangements Committees were then called in the

or the House calendar.

Mr. Chirdy, from the Committee on ...... Referred to the committee

tions special orders for supremacy, M: Stockslager pressing the considera-tion of the bills for the erection of public

PERSONAL-Mothers, call on John Ir. win at the White Front for a nobby hat

appropriating \$1,000,000 for the celebra

Paris, May 9 .- The following com-

tory to men of common sense who love order and domestic security. The only parties which have gained are the Revolu-

serve the cause of our sole real enemy, The Timps says: "The elections are not encouraging for those who strike for

the autonomists." The Royallst Finoro says. "In exact

proportion as the republic backshides into the dark beds of the revolution the mon-The Francais, the organ of the Duc de

Summary of Games Played Thursday, Sr. Louis, Mo.-St Louis, 22; Na-

letie, L PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Chleago, 13; Phil-

Property, Ind.—Peoria, 11; St. Paul, 9. CINCINNATI, O., May 9 -The commencement exercises of the Lane Theological Seminary took place yesterday Five graduates received diplomas. Win A

New York, May 8,-The flrm of Grant

are next preferred, after which all other creditors come in if there are any assets over and above the preference. No Tidings of Treasurer Woodward. PHILADELPHIA, PA, May 8 -There are no further tidings of the whereabouts of Eugene G Woodward, the defaulting Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the

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one by Major Brackett of that city on "The Competent Officer." Other papers will be read to-day when the permanent officers of the association will be chosen.

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The strumer struck going at full speed and striking hard enough to prevent slid-ing oft, thus escaping the additional horror of drowning all on board. Captain Larcom was in bed at the time. When he retired the steamer was on the outside course, but as the weather was threatening when she reached Manhegan, the first pilot, Bibber, altered her course

press. Shortly afterwards the crew and passengers of the wrecked steamer came shore in charge of the agent of the State Line, who had secured accommodations PASSENGER'S STORY

and two others were picked up. The Captain awakened the passengers Captain awakened the passengers and told them they must take to the beats instantly, but appears to have made no effort to devise a plan by which the passengers could get into the boats. At the line of the collision the Captain was in his cabin. The rushed on deck in his might his cabin. He rushed on deck in his night goats pushed away from the ship and the lunges preparatory to sinking took place

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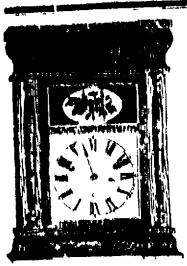
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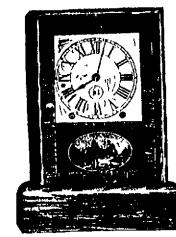


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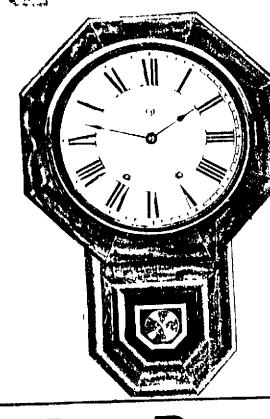


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on aslab a not the hardware store of Ferguson & Dillehunt, this city, bare accuraly and of the globs, and have no knowledge of the number of tought of plantal therein D & Surremann, of D S Shellabarger & Co., Millers

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Docatur, III. Apr 1 1, 1991

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Block FULLY TWENTY PER CENT. LESS than if purchased four weeks ago. Our Stock of Millinery and Fancy Goods is simply Internation ; et Remember, we made LOWER PRICES, do Better Work and give Botter Batisfac ion than any other House in Central Ills

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We have received an Immense stock of We have received an immense stock of FLAGS, of every size, from 3 mohes to 6 feet. We will made special prices to committees or parties wanting quantities for Decoration Day. Come and get what you want now. Also a full line of Japanian Landerns.

F. D BARTHOLOMEW & CO. May 2—dtf

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

PRIDAY EVENING, MAY 9, 1884

Unrin further natice our price on 1847 Rogors Bros knives is \$250 a dozen, or \$125 a set E D BARTHOLOMEW & Co. M vs 17th

Set "The World' to night Noodir soup at Marcott & Nubel's to-

Remember a May 17th FALL not to witness 'The World per formance to might. It will please you Genuty class in the Y M C A rooms this evening at 8 10 o clock. Members plense take notice

For fine I ishing Tackle go to H MCELLLE

And the front scats were occupied at the Conneil meeting last night, and few vant away before the session closed Ptionsi Summer Silke at the

CHEAL STORE. THERE were 32 couples at the dance aven at Elderado Hose House last night. It is reported as having been a big suc-

Difference will decorate your homes in elegant style Hens with Abel & Locke tho empet denters

To but Offi or Buttley is making the county nating the condition of the alleys Many of thom need cleaning out Day stove wood at Goorge Pheliart s.

Mospyy the brick work on Dodson and Hioc maker sawell front readonce block, on Last Uldorado strect, will be communecal UB PRISCOLL the opera block music leafor, will sell you celebrated Hames Bros pianos at astonishingly low prices,

Brr Warren & Durfees advertisement on the trut page of this paper. fightf

S S a vanie i will remember the meet tog to the Y M C A rooms this overing at 7 30 oclock. All are corduilly invited Boy (and I Vosburgh will conduct the

chino moned shurts, 10 cents, collins 3 ness, though he was at the store yester San Larr, 130 North Water street-maeents, calls 5 cents por pair dec 11-dly A DAY long to be remembered-May

17th 1894 Tuu saloone will romain open Satur day, closing finally at 11 o'clock that

night Strawi units, now potatoes spinach PELER ULTRIOH.

Turns will be trotting races for \$6,000 in premiums at Terre Haute May 27th to 10th, molusive The Midland will sell

round trip tickets on those dates at \$1.65 each for the round trip STEETSON'S HAIS, AT THE PARK mar11 dtf

Brot at the new grocery store of Hanks & Patterson, in Whitmer block, and get the best table supplies Parties, weddings, &c, supplied with

ONLY a few days till May 17th 3b

Ask all first class dealers for Schroeder's Bohemian cigars, and get the best mekal smokers

CHEAP STORE THE Universalist ladies will serve sup

per at their church on Inday evening from 6 to 10 o'clock. Strawberries and ico orenni in abundance. An enjoyable time is assured. No admission will be

DRY cord wood at George Ehrhart's al7 dlm

Wn vr did you say? May 17th 3t THE Wabash, St Louis & Pacific Compan; operates 3,568 miles of road, of captain. At the close of the war he bewhich 808 miles is leased. The annual charges on the principal leased lines are ment, United States Cavalry, and was \$765,215 per annum The bonded debt is \$11,111,675, and the rate per cent of interest averages  $6^{|\mathcal{L}|}$  cents per anuum

DUNLAPS HATS-H, F LHRMAN & OO, SOLE AGENTS March 11-dtf

To DATE \$1100 have been subscribed toward the building at Mt. Pulashi of a new Methodist church | Rov W R How ard the pastor in charge, is much encour aged with the prospect of accomplishing the long-needed want a comfortable place of worship for the people of that

Tun Western Union Tolograph Com pany have made another notable reduction in their rutes Night messages of 10 words to all parts as far west as Kansas City, will heroufter cost but 15 cents, and one cost for each additional word. The prospect of postal telegraph has doubtless stimulated this concession to the presistable demand for cheaper service. The day rates have also been cut, as has already been announced.

pleasant game.

The best 100 ordam in the city at WOOD BROS EXCELLENT family flour and fresh butter, at Niedermyer's, on the mound.

MARGOTT & NIEBEL, 114 Water street, the boss place for ice cream, cream lem onade, warm meals and cold lunch. May 6 d6w1

Condition of Vincent and Other Victims of the Wabash Accident

[Special to REPUBLICAN] BLUE MOUND, May 9 James Van Vleet, of Flint, Mich , father f Jared Van Vleet, one of the wreck sufferers, arrived here yesterday evening,

and is in attendance upon Lis son, at the residence of Wm. Ellis. Also, by the same train, J. Milo Vincent and wafe, of Buchanan, Mich , father and mother of Conductor J M. Vincent, abo repaned at once to the Ward House, viere the conductor is confined, and will rem un with him until he is able to be renoved to their home.

Aaron Short expects his brother from Concordia, Kansas, to day Also others of the injured are looking for friends on business until a half hour later to day's trains

The injured are all improving, though some of them slowly. Conductor Vincent's condition is the most critical, but his friends and also his physician, Dr. Waldroug, are hopeful of his recovery. There had been no departures since yesterday's report. The railroad ofherals

parties, but a majority of them refuse to accept amounts offered them. E II Videent, biother of the conductor, arrived this morning

have made a settlement with a few of the

The Mison street shooting scrape has consed to be a matter of public interest. Nobody was bart, no arrests were made, and the friends and intimates of the woman in the case moist that she can satisfactorily account for the presence of the "strange man' in the Louse without any reflection upon her character Meantime public gossip has about subsided, and the calm cut ent of events flows on as before

PERSONAL MENTION

L Gons, ex recover of the Midland, L in the city to day Rev D P Budn will go to Sadorus to morrow to preach on Sunday.

J Z Little, George O Morris and Miss Jenn e Jackson, of "The World company are at the St Nicholas Rev Dr Adams of Bloomington, will

preach at the First M E church Sunday vening Isaac Shellabarger arrived home yes terday noon from a business trip to

Hon D O Smith will arrive in the city from the Pacific slope in a few days to

attend to business all are here. Sol Moritz has a letter in his possession dated Peb, 1863, bearing the well known aignature of Hon Oliver P Morton, U S senator, decensed

Charles Laux will return home from Hot Springs next Wednesday Mrs. Lanx will go to St Louis Sunday to meet him Thomas B Shoaft, editor of the Dan-

ville Leader, is considering the matter of starting a duly newspaper at Danville. Tom has the stu'l in him to get out a lively daily. Rev E T Ingle, pastor of the Presbytering church at Monwegun, and Roy J W Crane, of the same place, honored the

REPUILION SINGTUM with their geneal presence has evening Capt George R Breen, who had part of one of his feet badly mashed recently, and he is compelled to use crulches con

been very ill for a number of weeks and is now in no condition to attend to busi-

over his star and citie to the marshal hast night. Henry was a good otheer, and being a German he was quite useful at the depot ading those travelers who can-not speak singlish. The railroad com-panies should engage him to look after the tourists who land on the Union depot

platform waiting to change cars. You will be pleased better with the "World' than any performance you have seen this senson Here to night.

Midland Pay Day This is pay day on the Illinois Midland Railway. Receiver Conklin and Mr. West are out to day with plenty of cash plying all the employes for services rendered the company

Turs forenoon Justice Curtis issued a penco warrant for the acrest of Miles Dickerson, on complaint of Dickerson's wife Mrs D alleges that her husband

enulted her Remains Taken to Moawequa The remains of Jerry Campbell, acci dentally killed yesterday afternoon in the Wabash yard, were taken to Meawequa elegant styles, most splendid assortments, and the handsomest in the market mother. Mrs. Smith and daughter, and Rev D King, of Monweque, who will

conduct the funeral this evening. Coroner Bendure held an inquest on the body at Bullard's rooms last evening, and the jury returned a verdict of acci dental death Deceased was about 40 yours of age and a vetoran of the late war He went into the service when quite young in the 32d Illinois Regiment In fantry, and was wounded in the face at Lookout Mountain He came out a came a member of Company K 7th Regi-

sucre. He was a brave soldier. DECATCE has a match factory in full blast in the fifth ward, north of the Union depot The proprietors are Messrs Russel & Priest, who have purchased special machiners and have commenced making matches by the million The Republican bought a package yesterday. They are

with Geo Custer at the memorable mas-

evening at the St Nicholas hotel. It is desired that everyone taking part be present without fuil.

Tur reception tendered Mr Authony Spaeth and bride by Mr. and Mrs. Peter Melchiors last night was largely attended and proved a very interesting occasion. The wedding repast was superb The THE finest tables in the city at J R Haworth's Bilinard Parlor, opposite Opera Book Call there and have a quiet and book Call there are to the finest tables. The wedding repast was superb The Republican acknowledges the receipt of Book Call there are to the finest tables.

> Those wishing dirt to fill up lots are invited to help themselves at P. Loeb's business lots on North Water street You can get all you want free, by paying the expense of hauling it away. A LUCKY day-May 17th.

Dirt Free

THE CITY GOVERN MENT

Introduction of Two Ordinances On the Liquor Question, One For an \$800 System.

The Mayor's Appointments Confirmed

The fact that a very considerable num-ber of our citizens take a lively interest in the action of the new council and the affairs of the city, was abundantly attested last night on the occasion of the adjourned session of the municipal body, when the lobby was again packed from the rail to the doors. Even the coal box was pressed into service as a suitable perch pressed into service as a suitable perch for a dozen daring young men, and in the hall and marshal's office stood squads of eager listeners who came too late to effect an entrance to the hall of the local legislature. The usual time for opening the meeting is 8 o'clock, but as there was a great deal of caucusing to be gone through with in the clerk's office, the Mayor was unable to get the aldermen ready for

The Mayor and all the aldermen except Lake were present at roll call. Lake came in within five minutes and took his

REPORT. The following report was read and adopted by a unanimous vote.
The Public Improvement Committee The Public Improvement Commerce respectfully report that they advise the rejection of all the bids for the paying of the old square and North Main street T. T. ROBERTS, SHORMAKER A SHORMAKO H C OAKES

OLAIMS FAID Decatur Tile Company, \$303 30 D H
Heliman \$190, Korsmeyer & O Neil,
\$2425, E. McClellan, \$11450, I J
Chrometer, \$4850, Close, Griswold & Co,
\$1733, John Grass, \$6685, T H. Wingate, 15 cents, W. W Mason, \$1140, John
Ghin, \$3800
The plat of the resurray of "St John's The plat of the re-survey of "St John's Place" was presented and accepted

Place' was presented and accepted PRITITION

The petition of residents of the neighborhood asking that the city furnish 10 inch tile for the alley between Clayton and Calbour streets, between Sangamon street and three blocks north, petitioners to lay same was referred to the committo lay same, was referred to the commit-tee on streets and alleys RESOLUTIONS.

By Muzzy That bids for city printing and lighting lamps be advertised for in the usual manner Adopted By Starr That the city engineer instructed to establish the grade of Edward street between Wood and Decatur

streets. Referred

Alaxander That the street super By Alexander That the street super-intendent be instructed to grade Wilham street from Edward to Pine according to the grade established. Referred By Starr That the city furnish John Imboden sewer pipe to enable him to drain his land overflowed by the third ward sewer. Referred to public improvement committee

THE SALARIES Chairman Muzzy presented the follow-ing which was adopted To the Honorable, the Mayor and alder-

nen of the city of Decatur, Your standing committee on printing and salaries would respectfully report the following saluries to-wit inp t of Streets per month

Marshal Chief of Night Police, per month 70 00 Chief of Night Police, JA Income 80 00 First Engineer Water Works, pr mo 80 00 75 00 Policeman, per month Pireman, Water Works, Alderman, per meeting The street superintendent's salary was fret fixed at \$75 per month, but on mo-tion of Alderman Dichi it was increased

to \$8333 The ordinance committee presented an ordinance forbidding any one, directly or indirectly, selling, giving away, or delivering intoxicating higher to any person,

pealed in the ordinance The ordinance was referred to the committee on ordinances after an unsuccess ful attempt had been made by the antirui attempt had been made by the anti-heense aldermen to act on it at once Under the rules it had to be referred On motion of Ald Start the vote ap-proving the bond of Thomas Andrews was reconsidered, when upon motion of Ald Muzzy the council took up the bonds

and applications for liquor license of Finn, Campbell & McGinty, McKay, Finn, Campbell & McGinty, McKay, Rothfuss, Wissen, Johnson, Davion, the Carrolls, Cain, Steinbach & Dieckhoft, Ruebsamen, Kraft, Andrews, Jones, Mor-gan, Gogerty, Lincaid, Keller and Shade, and in each case the prayer of the pet toners was not proported and application. tioners was not granted, each application

being rejected
On motion of Ald. Muzzy, a warrant was ordered drawn on the treasurer for \$3,500, which money shall be paid applicants for licenses who had deposited the money with the treasurer. Ald Gogerty voted "no 'on the motion, which act crea-

ted a rippling laugh, which the mayor checked by a chek of his gavel.

Charman Shoemaker, of the sidewalks and crossings committee, handen in the communication of Geo P Blume, who claims that he was overcharged in the construction of his sidewilks to the ex-Mr Blume holds that he did

part of the grading, and should be allowed the reduction On motion, the communication was referred back to the committee.

AN \$500 ORDINANCE The following is the substance of an ordinance laid on the clerk's deak by Ald

Diehl That the ordinance of March 11, 1880, regulating the sale of into liciting liquors e amended so as to read "The city council may in its discretion grant license for a term of not less than three months, nor exceeding one year, to such person or persons as may apply therefor to retail in toxicating liquors in any quantity less than one gallon for a term of three months for \$200, or \$800 for one year, bond in \$3,000 to be given, approved by the council, no license to extend beyond May 10th of any municipal year On motion of Ald Shoemaker the oran-

nance was referred to the ordinance com-

The singers who will present the cantata, "The Haymakers, the latter part of May, had a rehearsal at the home of Miss Frances Shellabarger hast evening There are about 35 voices in the chorus, with Mrs George B Vosburgh as accompanist The next rehearsal will be held Saturday They were represented that the Louisville firm was willing to abide by the mayor in his message as to payments for water mains. The firm will take \$10,000 this year and wait for the balance (\$7,730.32). The Milwaukee firm has the new \$14,500 pump ready for shipment. This firm also agreed to take \$10,000 when the pump is delivered and accepted, as suggested in the message. They were represented as being perfectly They were represented as being perfectly willing to make any satisfactory arrangement that will be mutually agreeable and

> The report of the attorney was referred to the finance committee
> The matter of Levi Nale acting as city scavenger was referred to the committee LETTERS

At the suggestion of Ald. Roberts Mayor Chambers read letters from several or Chambers read letters trom civil engineers on the subject of arranging civil engineers on the subject of arranging sewerage districts for Decatur. One strongly recommended Mr Williams, of Chicago, as a suitable person to do the work, which will cost from \$1500 to \$2,-000. This letter was from McRitchie & Nichol, of Chicago. A letter from Jersey City went into tedious details of establishing a system, which to a novice was as bad as Choctaw. A letter from Mr. B. Williams was read. He writes that he could not estimate cost of preparing saw. could not estimate cost of preparing sew-erage plans for Decaur, but could give

and viewing the situation, the city, of course, to pay the expenses.

Ald. Lake offered a motion that the mayor be matructed to invite Mr. Wilhams to viait Decatur. Ald. Muzzy offered an amendment that the letters be received

exact figures after paying Decatur a visit

and placed on file.
Ald. Roberts, Wayne and Starr supported the motion of Mr. Lake in sensible ported the motion of Mr. Lake in sensitie speeches, setting forth the necessity of first securing information on the subject, which Mr. W. stated is one of the most important matters that has yet come because the sensities of the most important matters that has yet come because the sensities of fore the conneil. Mr. Shoemsker thought that there should be no hasty action tak-en and that the council should ourtail

expenses as much as possible. The amendment was withdrawn and Lake's motion was adopted. It is desired to secure an estimate of the cost and then the council will act at its lessure THE MAYOR'S APPOINTMENTS

Mayor Chambers made the following

appointments, all of which were unanmously confirmed
Oity Marshal—W W Mason.
Captain of Night Police—J B Hewes.
Policemen—John W Hartley, William
J Brewer, John Helmick, W B Bailey,
Ray C Ringland, George H Andress and
George W Cole. The appointments not
yet made will probably be presented at a
subsequent meeting. subsequent meeting

The council adjourned to meet again
next Thursday night, May 15th.

A New Enterprise. On Saturday next Mesers. Marcott & Niebel, proprietors of the restaurant and ice cream parlor at 114 North Water

street, will introduce a new feature which will doubtless prove very popular as well as remunerative to the promoters of the scheme The firm will serve a glass of fresh, unskimmed milk, cool and sweet, with a Vienna roll, for the small sum of 5 cents. Milk will be brought to the restaurant morning and evening, and may be had at any hour of the day or evening Get a glass of pure milk and a roll for nickel

The Muster Night.

The charter members and all others wishing to join the "Sons of Veterans camp will be mustered in by Capt R. V. Mallory at the hall of Dunham Post No. 141 G A R to-morrow (Saturday) evening. The meeting will be called to order promptly at 8 o'clock, and all sons of exsoldiers 18 years of age desiring to become members of the new organization are cordially invited to be in attendance. A number of visitors from Springfield and Bloomington will be present.

MAN ABOUT TOWN.

Liquor dealers have had legal counsel and have decided to keep open their saloons until 11 o'clock Saturday night. The ordinance reads "No license shall The ordinance reads "No license shall extend beyond May 10th," and the license That the privilege of selling liquor shall extend until May 10th.

Midland depot is now 30 feet deep and water has been reached at that depth Phere are 15 men at work digging the hole and operating the machinery pump was put in the hole to-day to throw out the water The company expect to find coal at a depth of 600 feet. It is predicted that the Decatur Guards

will disband Captain Foster tendered his resignation some days ago, and this morning I heard that First Lieut. Wismer had forwarded his resignation to headquarters. The boys are without an armory and they hardly know what to do that head the armory and the head of the armory and the same armory are same armory and the same armory are same armory and the same armory are same armory are same armory and the same armory are same armory and the same armory are same armory and the same armory are same armory are same armory and the same armory are same armory About half of the company met at the court house last night. The Guards have been feeling about for a suitable hall They have a proposition from Peter Loeb for a large armory over his new building on North Water street, but he will not John Irwin, of the White Front, has been very ill for a number of weeks and is now in no condition to attend to business, though he was at the store yester day. He ought to take a vacation and give up the carcs of business for a white the mry Acher, the expoliceman, turned over his star and club to the marshal last night. Henry was a good otheer, and that effect last night

Druggists are getting their soda fountams ready to sizz, and hope to gather in burrels of nickels this oil year in the dis ulled beverage business

I was told to day that the Carroll family intended to sell out, pack up and leave Decatur I learn, however, that they intend doing nothing of the kind, but will remain here, where all their interests are entered

The introduction of the alleged "high The introduction of the alleged "bigh license ordinance in the council last night, has created quite a breeze among the people, and naturally it is the cause of considerable comment. Saloon keepers say \$800 is not high heense at all, and say the adoption of this ordinance will lating all the above. The "high counts" in say the adoption of this ordinates, in let in all the shops. The "high joints" in the business would favor a \$1200 or \$1500 rate. The prohibitionists didn't under stand the move, but masmich as final action has not been taken, they rest modaction has not been taken, they are taken their erately easy and are willing to take their chances on the vote of 6 to 1, which they

say will stand firm as the rock of Gibral-I heard a man say to-day that the \$800 ordinance was simply thrown out as a feeler to test the temper of the conneil Action will be taken Thursday night per-

Edward Wade, the dairyman, living two miles northwest of the city, has indulged in the luxury and convenience of a tele-phone, which is in successful operation. The Wood Bros have also had an instrument placed in their ice cream parlor, and now the frozen cream venders and Mr. Wade can law back at each other at will Ed Woodenys the telephone beats walk ing and making eigns

The Drain The Business That the farmers of Illinois and of the western states are awakening to the importance of farm drainage is fully shown by the great number of tile factories springing up everywhere, and the increased demand for drain tile which this

argues The Decatur Tile Company, Oity Attorney Mills who was instructed by the council to visit Louisville and Milwaukee and confer with firms with whom the city had made contracts for water mains and a new pump reported water mains and a new pump reported He represented that the Louisville firm more willing to abide by the suggestions have been shipped away, to various points in Illinois as well as to Kansas, Missouri and Indiana This company has eight kilns running, with every modern appliance for the rapid manufacture of tile, and employs a large number of men in its various departments. It is gratifying to know that the large outlay made by the company in its preparations for manufacturing is now having its reward, and we trust its stockholders will find its present prosperity to be a continuing one, for the industry is one of the most important in its bearing upon the interests of the agricultural portion of our population, which is, is after all, the foundation of all our

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31 May 17th is the eventful day.

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the goods. It will pay you. .R. RACE & CO

Dinneen & Doyle's Old Stand, EAST ELDORADO ST.

Day stove wood at George Ehrhart's. Notice to Land Buyer al7-dlm The undersigned, one of the exceptors of ) Smith, expects to be in Decetar by the side of May, and is desirous of solding the is Ladies do not want to purchase hats elonging to said estate, out but FINE STOCK FARM, on and bonnets that have been handled and

picked over a month before time for wearing. Miss Miller is in Chicago, and will open in a few days the handsomest dis-play of Summer Goods ever brought to Decatur. Opposite Post Office. 7-dtf Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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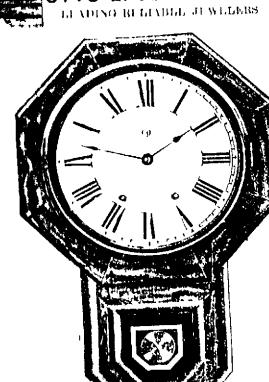
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PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, 188 Macon County, 6 County Court of Macon county, to the May Torm A. D. 1884. Anna A. Warron, Administratrix of the Estate of Elia F. Scribner, vs. Henry H. Scribner, Orrin H. Scribner and Wil-ham H. Gallebor. Petition to Soil Real Estate to Pay Debts.

Petition to Sell Real Estate to Pay Debts.

A FFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Henry A H. Seribuor and Willam H. Gallobor defendants above-named having been filed in the office of the Clork of the County Court of Macon county, notice is beroby given to the said plaintiff, Anna A. Warren, as Administratrix of the Estate of Elia F. Seribaer, deceased, has filed her petition in the said county court of Macon county for an order to said deceased, has filed her petition in the said county court of Macon county for an order to said deceased, or so much of it as may be needed to pny the Johis of said deceased, and described as follows, to-wit: Sixty-five (65) acres off the South end of the west haif (\$4) of the southenst quarter (\$4) of section thirty-six (36), in township fifteen (15) north, range two (3) unst of the 3d P. M. And that a summons has been issued out of said court against you, returnable at the May term, A. D. 184, of said court, to be holden on the Third Monday, the 19th day of May, A. D. 188, at the court house in Decatur in Macon county, Ilinois.

Now, unless you, the said Henry H. Seribner and William H. Galloher, shall personally be and appear before said county court of Macon county, on the 19th day of May 1834, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's petition flied therein, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

Decatur, Ill., May 7th. 1884.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

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HENRY D. DEMENT, of Lee. For Auditor of Public Accounts, CHARLES P. SWIGERT. of Kankakee For Treasurer, of Cook.

For Attorney General, GFORGE HUNT, of Edgar.

For Congress-14th District, JONATHAN H. ROWELL, of McLean. For member State Board of Equalization,

JAMES C. LAKE,

What are regarded as the "necessaries of life" at the Cour d'Alene mining camp is indicated by the following item from the Eagle of that place: "A train of sixteen mules, fifteen loaded with whisky and one with flour, arrived at Eagle a few days ago.'

A PROMINENT Democrat is reported s saying: "Where there is no principle involved I always follow the ine of my party"—which is a very eat way of declaring that, however it may be with others, he invariably keeps himself in harmony with the governing Democratic condition.

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may19-d&wly: Last week's record in New York City: Arrests, 1,506; births, 529; deaths, 689; marriages, 216.

lough on the Landlady.

The prejudice against the average feunle boarding house-keeper seems to be confined to no particular State.
Sam Hinchman and Bill Perkins were discussing matters and things over a cup of coffee in an Austin cating-house, when the conversation drifted to a recent occurrence in Philadelphia.
"Did you read about that Hungarian

Countess, in a Philadelphia boarding house, who shot and wounded the boy who told her to put out the gas and who fired several shots at the landlady, and missed her?" asked Sam.

"Yes, I read all about that. That woman should be made an example of.

she should receive the heaviest penalty of the law," responded Bill.

"I agree with you precisely. There is no punishment severe enough for that kind of a woman who would shoot a mere boy, for doing simply what he was told to do."

O, as far as that is concerned, I don't blame her at all for shooting the wouldn't think hard of her but to shoot three times at the landlady of a boarding house, and miss her every time, is a crime against humanity. I've lived and suffered in a boarding house, and I know what kind of a fiend I'm talking about. A woman who can't shoot better than that Hungarian Countess did, ought not to be allowed to have a pistol. If she had only crippled up the landlady, I would not mind it so much; but to miss her entirely is simply infamous. There are no mitigating circumstances. She is not a woman at all; she is a base imposition on the public."—Texas Sift-

-"Great Scott, I've killed him!" yelled the bnggage-smasher as he hurled a Saratoga plump into the pit of the stomach of a stout old gentleman standing on the platform. But the injured party rose with a gay air and laughed out "Not much, yer lop-cared idiot. I've just got outside of a beefsteak in that restaurant an! I'm solider hat he side of restaurant an' I'm solider 'n the sides of a iron-plated gunboat. Sling along yer Saratogies; 's long as yer aims straight at that thirty-five cent lunch yer can't hurt my feelin's!".—Evansvalla Argus

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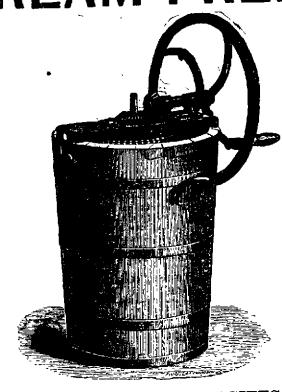
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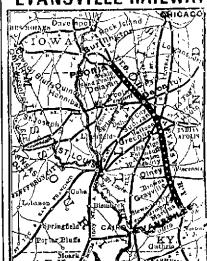
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